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Montana State and Tribal Resource Directory

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USDA Rural Development prepared this resource directory to improve lines of communication and networking opportunities between agencies, organizations, Indian Tribes, and others working in the fields of economic and community development in Montana. Anyone involved in economic and community development will benefit from the information contained in this directory.

We have attempted to identify the “key” players in economic and community development throughout Montana, and also those programs/organizations that hold potential for financial and technical resources for our development partners.

We are pleased to be able to provide this information as part of our on-going effort to improve our service to the State of Montana and our American Indian Tribes. To ensure that the information provided is as complete as possible, we would encourage you to add or update information as needed through a letter to our State Office or telephone call or email to Brenda Sorensen (406-585-2580; Brenda.Sorensen@mt.usda.gov) or Bob Parsley (406-585-2588; Bob.Parsley@mt.usda.gov). Our combined efforts will help keep the information up-to-date and accurate for optimal use. We also welcome any additions to the directory for partners we may have unintentionally overlooked. This directory can be accessed online at www.rurdev.usda.gov/mt

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MONTANA USDA RURAL DEVELOPMENT

USDA Rural Development has three program areas: Business-Cooperative Programs; Community Programs; and Housing Programs. Each area has numerous programs available to help rural communities prosper. Assistance is targeted to rural communities and residents who meet federal income and population requirements.

Business-Cooperative Programs provide financial and technical assistance to emerging and expanding rural businesses and cooperatives.

Community Programs provides loans and grants to construct, enlarge, improve or purchase essential community facilities. Financing is also available to rural areas for water, wastewater and solid waste disposal.

Housing Programs help finance new and improved single and multi-family housing for very-low to moderate income households

This directory is designed to provide you with contact information for the various program areas. For more information about any of the programs, you may contact the specific program area, your local Rural Development Area Office, or the Rural Development State office.



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	Frazer.....	406-695-2241
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Transportation Planner	Henry Headdress	406-768-5155 x321
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Legal	406-477-6284
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	Busby School	406-592-3646
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Tribal Historic Preservation	Conrad Fisher	406-477-6284
Tribal School	Busby	406-592-3646
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TERO	Cindy Burns (Acting)	406-477-6287
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